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- Stabilizer compositions for polyvinyl chloride resins and stabilized polyvinyl chloride resin compositions.
- Polyvinyl chloride resin stabilizer compositions are provided, comprising a 2,2,6,6-tetramethyl piperidinyl compound and an ammonium or metal perchlorate; and also stabilized polyvinyl chloride resin compositions containing such stabilizers, and optionally including a plasticizer, and particularly as molded articles with polyurethane foam backing.

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Polyvinyl chloride resin articles molded with a polyurethane from backing are used as interior components for automobiles, including instrument panels, glove compartments, door handles, and arm and head rests. Organotin mercaptides and barium-zinc carboxylates are the stabilizers normally used in such molded compositions. The use of perchlorate salts in a blend of polyvinyl chloride and polyurethane is disclosed in Japan Kokai No. 84-184240.

However, these stabilizers do not impart sufficient
resistance to deterioration when the moldings are exposed to
ultraviolet light, and resistance to deterioration when heated even
at relatively low temperatures is also poor. These problems
are accentuated when the moldings are thin. Powder molding
processes such as rotomolding, slush molding and fluidization
dip molding are used to prepare thin skin molded articles from
powdered polyvinyl chloride resins and in these processes a high
heat stability is required.

In accordance with the present invention, polyvinyl chloride resin compositions are provided having improved resistance to

deterioration when exposed to heat and ultraviolet light, as well as anti-fogging properties, comprising a 2, 2, 6, 6-tetramethyl piperidyl compound and an ammonium or metal perchlorate.

These polyvinyl chloride resin compositions are particularly useful for molding with a backing of polyurethane foam, and optionally can include a polyvinyl chloride resin plasticizer, as well as other polyvinyl chloride resin heat and light stabilizers.

Accordingly, the invention also provides stabilizer compositions for polyvinyl chloride resins comprising a 2,2,6,6-tetramethyl piperidyl compound and an ammonium or metal perchlorate, capable of improving the resistance of polyvinyl chloride resins to deterioration upon exposure to heat and ultraviolet light, as well as imparting anti-fogging properties to the resin composition.

The metal perchlorate is an alkali metal, alkaline earth metal or aluminum salt of perchloric acid. Lithium, sodium, potassium, magnesium, calcium, strontium, barium, zinc and aluminum perchlorates are all effective. The alkaline earth metal perchlorates are preferred. For the purposes of this invention magnesium is regarded as an alkaline earth metal. The ammonium perchlorates include ammonium salts of perchloric acid, and the tertiary amine salts of perchlorid acid, such as triethyl amine perchlorate, trimethyl amine perchlorate, tripropylamine perchlorate, tributyl amine perchlorate, trihexyl amine perchlorate, ethyldimethyl amine perchlorate, propyldiethyl amine perchlorate and tricyclohexyl amine perchlorate. Also included are basic metal salts of inorganic acids in which part of the inorganic acid is perchlorid acid, such as the double salts of hydrotalcites and perchloric acid, for example,  $Mg_{0.1} \ Al_{0.3} \ (OH)_2 \ (CO_3)_{0.15} \cdot 0.54 \ H_2O$  reacted with perchloric acid.

The amount of perchlorate is within the range from about 0.001 to about 3 parts, preferably from about 0.01 to about 2 parts, by weight per 100 parts by weight of polyvinyl chloride resin.

The light stabilizer is any compound having a 2,2,6,6-tetramethyl piperidyl group

A preferred class of 2,2,6,6-tetramethyl piperidyl compounds has the formula:

$$\begin{bmatrix} R_1 - N & CH_3 & CH_3 \\ CH_3 & CH_3 & CH_3 \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

wherein:

 $\mathbf{R}_{\mathbf{l}}$  is hydrogen or alkyl having from one to about eighteen carbon atoms

R is a residue of a carboxylic acid having from one to about six carboxylic acid groups, of the formula

$$Z(-c-)_{m}$$

where m is a number from one to six and Z is selected from the group consisting of alkylene, cycloalkylene, mixed alkylene-cycloalkylene, arylene and mixed alkylene-arylene having from one to about thirty carbon atoms; and

n is a number from one to six .

Exemplary R<sub>1</sub> alkyl include methyl, ethyl, propyl, isopropyl, butyl, isobutyl, tert.-butyl, amyl, isoamyl, hexyl, heptyl, octyl, isooctyl, 2-ethylhexyl, nonyl, isononyl, decyl, dodecyl, mysistyl, palmityl and stearyl.

Examplary Zalkylene include methylene, ethylene, propylene, isopropylene, butylene, isobutylene, amylene, isoamylene, hexylene, isohexylene, neopentylene, neohexylene, heptylene, octylene, nonylene, decylene, dodecylene, octodecylene.

Exemplary/cycloalkylene include cyclopentylene, cyclohexylene, cycloheptylene, cycloctylene.

ExemplaryZarylene include phenylene and naphthylene.

Exemplary mixed alkylene-cycloalkylene include methyl cyclopentylene, dimethyl-cyclohexylene, trimethyl cyclohexalene and diethyl cyclohexylene.

Exemplary/mixed alkylene arylene include phenmethylene, phenethylene, xylylene, mesitylene, phenpropylene, and phenhexylene.

## Exemplary 2, 2, 6, 6-tetramethyl piperidyl compounds

## include:

- 1. 4-Benzoyloxy-2, 2, 6, 6-tetramethylpiperidine
- 1-(3,5-Di-t-butyl-4-hydroxyphenylpropionyloxyethyl)
  -4-(3,5,di-t-butyl-4-hydroxyphenylpropionyloxy) 2,2,6,6-tetramethylpiperidine
- 3. 4-(3,5-Di-t-buty1-4-hydroxyphenylpropionyloxy)-2,2,6,6-tetramethylpiperidine
- 4. Bis(2, 2, 6, 6-tetramethyl-4-piperidyl) sebacate
- 5. Bis(1, 2, 2, 6, 6-pentamethyl-4-piperidyl) sebacate
- 6. Bis(1, 2, 2, 6, 6-pentamethyl-4-piperidyl)-2-butyl-2-(3, 5-di-t-butyl-4-hydroxybenzyl) malonate
- 7. Bis(1-acryloyl-2, 2, 6, 6-tetramethyl-4-piperidyl)-2-butyl-2-(3, 5-di-t-butyl-4-hydroxybenzyl) malonate
- 8. Bis(9-aza-8, 8, 10, 10-tetramethyl-3-ethyl-1, 5-dioxaspiro [5.5]-3-undecylmethyl) methyliminodiacetate
- 9. Bis(2, 2, 6, 6-tetramethyl-4-piperidyl-1-oxyl) sebacate
- 10. Tris(2, 2, 6, 6-tetramethyl-4-piperidyl) citrate
- 11. Tris(2, 2, 6, 6-tetramethyl-4-piperidyl) nitrilotriacetate

	12.	Tris(2, 2, 6, 6-tetramethy1-4-piperidy1) butanetricarboxylate
	13.	Tris(2, 2, 6, 6-tetramethyl-4-piperidyl) trimellitate
5	14.	Tetra(2, 2, 6, 6-tetramethy1-4 piperidy1) pyromellitate
	15.	Tetra(2, 2, 6, 6-tetramethyl-4-piperidyl)-1, 3-bis (aminomethyl)-cyclohexanetetraacetate
	16.	Tetra(2, 2, 6, 6-tetramethyl-4-piperidyl)-1, 2, 3, 4-butanetetracarboxylate
10	17.	Tris(2, 2, 6, 6-tetramethyl-4-piperidyl)-mono (isotridecyl)-1, 2, 3, 4-butanetetracarboxylate
•	18.	Tetra(1, 2, 2, 6, 6-pentamethyl-4-piperidyl)-1, 2, 3, 4-butanetetracarboxylate
15	19.	Tris(1, 2, 2, 6, 6-pentamethyl-4-piperidyl)-mono (isotridecyl)-1, 2, 3, 4-butanetetracarboxylate
	<del>-</del> 20.	Bis(1, 2, 2, 6, 6-pentamethyl-4-piperidyl)-di (isotridecyl)-1, 2, 3, 4-butanetetracarboxylate
	21.	Bis(2, 2, 6, 6-tetramethyl-4-piperidyl)-di (isotridecyl)-1, 2, 3, 4-butanetetracarboxylate
20	22.	Bis(2, 2, 6, 6-tetramethyl-1-oxyl-4-piperidyl) -di (isotridecyl)-1, 2, 3, 4 -butanetetracarboxylate
	23.	Mono(1, 2, 2, 6, 6-pentamethyl-4-piperidyl)-monomethylsebacate
25	24.	3, 9-Bis(1, 1-dimethyl-2-(tris(2, 2, 6, 6-tetramethyl-4-piperidyloxycarbonyl)butylcarbonyloxy)ethyl)-2, 4, 8, 10-tetraoxaspiro [5.5] undecane
•	25.	3, 9-Bis(1, 1-dimethyl-2-(tris(1, 2, 2, 6, 6-pentamethyl-4-piperidyloxycarbonyl)butylcarbonyloxy)ethyl)-2, 4, 8, 10-tetraoxaspiro [5.5] undecane
30	26.	2, 4, 6-Tris(2, 2, 6, 6-tetramethyl-4-piperidyloxy)-s-triazine
•	27.	2-Butylamino-4, 6-bis(9-aza-8, 8, 10, 10- tetramethyl-3-ethyl-1, 5-dioxaspiro [5.5]-3- undecylmethoxy)-s-triazine

	28.	N, N'-Bis(4, 6-bis(9-aza-8, 8, 10, 10-tetramethyl-3-ethyl-1, 5-dioxaspiro [5.5]-3-undecylmethoxy) -s-triazine-2-yl) piperazine
<b>5</b>	<b>29.</b>	1, 5, 8, 12-Tetrakis(4, 6-bis(N-(2, 2, 6, 6- tetramethyl-4-piperidyl)butylamino)-1, 3, 5- triazine-2-yl)-1, 5, 8, 12-tetraazadodecane
	30.	Bis(9-aza-8, 8, 10, 10-tetramethyl-3-ethyl-1,5-dioxaspiro[5.5]-3-undecylmethyl) carbonate
10	31.	Bis(9-aza-8, 8, 10, 10-tetramethyl-3-ethyl-1, 5-dioxaspiro [5.5]-3-undecylmethyl)-hydrogenated Bisphenol A-dicarbonate
	32.	Bis(2, 2, 6, 6-tetramethyl-4-piperidyl)- pentaerythritol-diphosphite
15	33.	Bis(9-aza-8, 8, 10, 10-tetramethy1-3-ethy1-1, 5-dioxaspiro [5.5]-3-undecylmethy1)-pentaerythritol-diphosphite
	-34.	Tetra(2, 2, 6, 6-tetramethyl-4-piperidyl)-Bisphenol A-diphosphite
20	35.	3,5-Di t-butyl-4-hydroxybenzyl-bis(2,2,6,6-tetramethyl-4-piperidyl) phosphonate
	36.	Condensate of 1-(2-hydroxyethyl)-2, 2, 6, 6- tetramethyl-4-piperidinol with dimethyl succinate
25	37.	Condensate of 2-t-octylamino-4, 6-dichloro-s- triazine with N, N'-bis(2, 2, 6, 6-tetramethyl-4- piperidyl) hexamethylenediamine
	38.	Condensate of 1, 6-bis(2, 2, 6, 6-tetramethyl-4-piperidylamino)-hexane with dibromoethane
	39.	Bis(9-aza-8, 8, 10, 10-tetramethyl-3-hydroxymethyl-1, 5-dioxaspiro [5.5]-3-undecylmethyl) ether
30	40.	3-Glycidyl-8-methyl-7,7,9,9-tetramethyl-1,3,8-triazaspiro[4.5] decane-2,4-dione
	41.	3-Dodecyl-8-acetyl-7, 7, 9, 9 tetramethyl-1, 3, 8-triazaspiro [4.5] decane-2, 4-dione

- 42. 3-Octyl-7, 7, 9, 9-tetramethyl-1, 3, 8-triazaspiro [4.5] decane-2, 4-dione
- 43. 2,2,4,4-Tetramethyl-7-oxa-3,20-diazadispiro [5.1.11.2] heneicosane-21-one

3-Dodecyl-1-(2, 2, 6, 6-tetramethyl-4-piperidyl)-2,5-pyrrolidine-dione

The amount of 2, 2, 6, 6-tetramethyl piperidyl compound is within the range from about 0.01 to about 3 parts, preferably from about 0.05 to about 1 part, by weight per 100 parts by weight of polyvinyl chloride.

The stabilizer compositions of the invention can be used as stabilizers with any polyvinyl chloride resin. The term "polyvinyl chloride" as used herein is inclusive of any polymer formed at least in part of the recurring group:

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and having a chlorine content in excess of 49%. In this group, the X groups can each be either hydrogen or chlorine. In 20 polyvinyl chloride homopolymers, each of the X groups is hydrogen. Thus, the term includes not only polyvinyl chloride homopolymers but also after-chlorinated polyvinyl chloride, such as those disclosed in British patent No. 893, 288, and also copolymers of vinyl chloride in a major proportion and other copolymerizable monomers in a minor proportion, such as copolymers of vinyl chloride and vinyl acetate, copolymers of vinyl chloride with maleic or fumaric acids or esters, and copolymers of vinyl chloride with

styrene, propylene, and ethylene. The invention also is applicable to mixtures of polyvinyl chloride in a major proportion with other synthetic resins such as chlorinated polyethylene or a copolymer of acrylonitrile, butadiene and styrene. Among the polyvinyl chlorides which can be stabilized are the uniaxially-stretch oriented polyvinyl chlorides described in U.S. patent No. 2,934,593 to Isaksem et al, that is, syndiotactic polyvinyl chloride, as well as atactic and isotactic polyvinyl chlorides.

The stabilizer combinations of this invention both with and without supplementary heat and light stabilizers are excellent stabilizers for both unplasticized or rigid polyvinyl chloride resins as plasticized polyvinyl chloride resins. The rigid polyvinyl chloride resins are defined as those containing at most 10% plasticizer. Plasticized resins contain at least 10% plasticizer and can contain as much as 50 to 60% plasticizer according to the degree of plasticization desired. When plasticizers are to be employed, they may be incorporated into the polyvinyl chloride resin using conventional means.

Conventional plasticizers can be used, such as dioctyl phthalate, dioctyl sebacate and tricresyl phosphate.

Particularly useful plasticizers are the epoxy higher fatty acid esters having from about twenty to about one hundred fifty carbon atoms. Such esters will initially have had

unsaturation in the alcohol or acid portion of the molecule, which is taken up by the formation of the epoxy group.

Typical unsaturated acids are oleic, linoleic, linolenic, erucic, ricinoleic and brassidic acids, and these may be esterified with organic monohydric or polyhydric alcohols, the total number of carbon atoms of the acid and the alcohol being within the range stated. Typical monohydric alcohols include butyl alcohol, 2-ethylhexyl alcohol, lauryl alcohol, isooctyl alcohol, stearyl alcohol and oleyl alcohol. The octyl alcohols are preferred. Typical polyhydric alcohols include pentaerythritol, glycerol, ethylene glycol, 1,2-propylene glycol, 1,4-butylene glycol, neopentyl glycol, ricinoleyl alcohol, erythritol, mannitol and sorbitol. Glycerol is preferred. These alcohols may be fully or partially esterified with the epoxidized acid. Also useful are the epoxidized mixtures of higher fatty acid esters found in naturally-occurring oils such as epoxidized soybean oil, epoxidized olive oil, epoxidized cottonseed oil, epoxidized tall oil fatty acid esters, epoxidized linseed oil and epoxidized tallow. Of these, epoxidized soybean 20 oil is preferred.

The alcohol can contain the epoxy group and have a long or short chain, and the acid can have a short or long chain, such as epoxy stearyl acetate, epoxy stearyl stearate, glycidyl stearate, and polymerized glycidyl methacrylate.

A small amount, usually not more than 1.5%, of a parting agent or lubricant, can also be included. Typical parting agents are the higher aliphatic acids, and alkali and alkaline earth metal salts of such acids, having twelve to twenty-four carbon atoms, such as stearic acid, lauric acid, palmitic acid and myristic acid, lithium stearate, calcium stearate and calcium palmitate, mineral lubricating oils, polyvinyl stearate, polyethylene and paraffin wax.

Impact modifiers, for improving the toughness or

impact-resistance of unplasticized resins, can also be added

to the resin compositions stabilized by the present invention

in minor amounts of usually not more than 10%. Examples of

such impact modifiers include chlorinated polyethylene, ABS

polymers, and polyacrylatebutadiene graft copolymers.

The perchlorate-2, 2, 6, 6-tetraalkyl piperidyl stabilizers of the invention can be combined with conventional heat stabilizers such as phenolic antioxidants, polyvalent metal salts of organic acids, organic phosphites, thioethers, organotin compounds, and other known heat stabilizers, thereby constituting light and heat stabilizer compositions of the invention.

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The phenolic antioxidant contains one or more phenolic hydroxyl groups, and one or more phenolic nuclei, and can contain from about eight to about three hundred carbon atoms. In addition, the phenolic nucleus can contain an oxy or thio ether group.

The alkyl-substituted phenols and polynuclear phenols, because of their molecular weight, have a higher boiling point, and therefore are preferred because of their lower volatility. There can be one or a plurality of alkyl groups of one or more carbon atoms. The alkyl group or groups including any alkylene groups between phenol nuclei preferably aggregate at least four carbon atoms. The longer the alkyl or alkylene chain, the better the compatibility with polypropylene, inasmuch as the phenolic compound then acquires more of an aliphatic hydrocarbon character, and therefore there is no upper limit on the number of alkyl carbon atoms. Usually, from the standpoint of avail-

ability, the compound will not have more than about eighteen carbon atoms in an alkyl, alicyclidene and alkylene group, and a total of not over about fifty carbon atoms. The compounds may have from one to four alkyl radicals per phenol nucleus.

The phenol contains at least one and preferably at least two phenolic hydroxyls, the two or more hydroxyls being in the same ring, if there is only one. In the case of bicyclic phenols, the rings can be linked by thio or oxyether groups, or by alkylene, alicyclidene or arylidene groups.

The monocyclic phenols which can be employed have the structure:

R is selected from the group consisting of hydrogen; halogen; and organic radicals containing from one to about thirty carbon atoms, such as alkyl, aryl, alkenyl, alkaryl, aralkyl, cycloalkenyl, cycloalkyl, alkoxy, and acyl (R'C-), where R' is aryl, alkyl or cycloalkyl.

 $x_1$  and  $x_2$  are integers from one to four, and the sum of  $x_1$  and  $x_2$  does not exceed six.

20 The polycyclic phenol phenol is one having at least two aromatic nuclei linked by a polyvalent linking radical, as defined by the formula:

$$(Ar)_{n_1}$$
  $Y$   $(Ar)_{n_2}$   $(OH)_{m_1}$ 

wherein

Y is a polyvalent linking group selected from the group consisting of oxygen; carbonyl; sulfur; sulfinyl; aromatic, aliphatic and cycloaliphatic hydrocarbon groups; and oxyhydrocarbon, thiohydrocarbon and heterocyclic groups. The linking group can have from one up to twenty carbon atoms.

Ar is a phenolic nucleus which can be a phenyl or a polycarbocyclic group having condensed or separate phenyl rings; each Ar group contains at least one free phenolic hydroxyl group up to a total of five. The Ar rings can also include additional rings connected by additional linking nuclei of the type Y, for example, Ar-Y-Ar-Y-Ar.

 $m_1$  and  $m_2$  are numbers from one to five, and  $n_1$  and  $n_2$  are numbers of one or greater, and preferably from one to four.

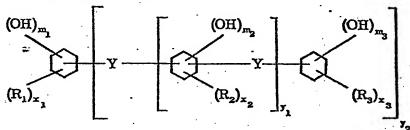
The aromatic nucleus Ar can, in addition to phenolic hydroxyl groups, include one or more inert substituents.

Examples of such inert substituents include hydrogen, halogen atoms, e.g., chlorine, bromine and fluorine; organic radicals containing from one to about thirty carbon atoms, such as alkyl, aryl, alkaryl, aralkyl, cycloalkenyl, cycloalkyl, alkoxy, aryloxy and acyloxy (R'C-O) where R' is aryl, alkyl or cyclo-

alkyl, or thiohydrocarbon groups having from one to about thirty carbon atoms, and carboxyl (-C-O-) groups. Usually, however, each aromatic nucleus will not have more than about eighteen carbon atoms in any hydrocarbon substituent group. The Argroup can have from one to four substituent groups per nucleus.

Typical aromatic nuclei include phenyl, naphthyl, phenanthryl, triphenylenyl, anthracenyl, pyrenyl, chrysenyl, and fluoroenyl groups.

When Ar is a benzene nucleus, the polyhydric polycyclic 10 phenol has the structure:



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 $R_1$ ,  $R_2$  and  $R_3$  are inert substituent groups as described in the previous paragraph;

m<sub>1</sub> and m<sub>3</sub> are integers from one to a maximum of five;
m<sub>2</sub> is an integer from one to a maximum of four;
x<sub>1</sub> and x<sub>3</sub> are integers from zero to four, and
x<sub>2</sub> is an integer from zero to three;
y<sub>1</sub> is an integer from zero to about six and
y<sub>2</sub> is an integer from one to five, preferably one or two.

Preferably, the hydroxyl groups are located ortho and/or para to Y.

Exemplary Y groups are alkylene, alkylidene, and alkenylene; arylene, alkyl arylene, arylalkylene; cycloalkylene, cycloalkylene; and oxa- and thia-substituted such groups; tetrahydrofuranes, esters and triazino groups. The Y groups are usually bi, trl, or tetravalent, connecting two, three or four Ar groups. However, higher valency Y groups connecting more than four Ar groups, can also be used. According to 10 their constitution, the Y groups can be assigned to subgenera as follows:

1) Y groups where at least one carbon in a chain or cyclic arrangement connect the aromatic groups, such as:

$$\begin{array}{c} -\text{CH}_2\text{-CH}_2\text{--}; -(\text{CH}_2)_5\text{--}; -\text{CH}_2\text{--}; -\text{CH}_2\text{--}; -\text{CH}_2\text{---}; \\ 15 - \bigcirc \ \ \, ; -\text{CH}_2 - \bigcirc \ \ \, ; -\text{CH}_2 - \ \ \, ; \\ -\text{CH} - \ \ \, ; -\text{CH} - \ \ \, ; \\ -\text{CH} - \ \ \, ; -\text{CH} - \ \ \, ; \\ -\text{CH}_3 \ \ \, ; -\text{CH} - \ \ \, ; \\ -\text{CH}_3 \ \ \, ; -\text{CH}_2 - \ \ \, ; \\ -\text{CH}_3 \ \ \, ; -\text{CH}_2 - \ \ \, ; \\ -\text{CH}_3 \ \ \, ; -\text{CH}_2 - \ \ \, ; \\ -\text{CH}_3 \ \ \, ; -\text{CH}_2 - \ \ \, ; \\ -\text{CH}_2 - \ \ \, ; \\ -\text{CH}_3 \ \ \, ; -\text{CH}_2 - \ \ \, ; \\ -\text{CH}_3 \ \ \, ; -\text{CH}_2 - \ \ \, ; \\ -\text{CH}_3 \ \ \, ; -\text{CH}_2 - \ \ \, ; \\ -\text{CH}_3 \ \ \, ; -\text{CH}_2 - \ \ \, ; \\ -\text{CH}_3 \ \ \, ; -\text{CH}_3 \ \ \, ; \\ -\text{CH}_3 \ \ \, ; -\text{CH}_3 \ \ \, ; \\ -\text{CH}_3 \ \ \, ; -\text{CH}_3 \ \ \, ; \\ -\text{CH}_3 \ \ \, ; -\text{CH}_3 \ \ \, ; \\ -\text{CH}_3 \ \ \, ; -\text{CH}_3 \ \ \, ; \\ -\text{CH}_3 \ \ \, ; \\ -\text{CH}_3 \ \ \, ; -\text{CH}_3 \ \ \, ; \\ -\text{CH}_3 \$$

$$-CH_{2} \leftarrow -CH_{2} - ; -CH_{2} \rightarrow ; -CH_{-}; -CH_{-};$$

$$-CH_{3} \rightarrow -CH_{2} \rightarrow ; -CH_{2} \rightarrow CH_{3} \rightarrow CH_{2} \rightarrow CH_{2$$

2) Y groups where only atoms other than carbon link the aromatic rings, such as

-O-, -S-, -S-, and -(S)<sub>x</sub>- where x is a number from one to ten;

3) Y groups made up of more than a single atom including both carbon and other atoms linking the aromatic nuclei, such as:

Although the relation of effectiveness to chemical structure is insufficiently understood, many of the most effective phenols have Y groups of subgems 1), and accordingly this is preferred. Some of these phenols can be prepared by the alkylation of phenols or alkyl phenols with polyunsaturated hydrocarbons such as dicyclopentadiene or butadiene.

Representative phenols include guaiacol, resorcinol monoacetate, vanillin, butyl salicylate, 2,6-di-tert-butyl-4-methyl phenol, 2-tert-butyl-4-methoxy phenol, 2,4-dinonyl

phenol, 2,3,4,5-tetradecyl phenol, tetrahydro-α-naphthol, o-, m- and p-cresol, o-, m- and p-phenylphenol, o-, m- and p-xylenols, the carvenols, symmetrical xylenol, thymol, o-, m- and p-nonylphenol, o-, m- and p-dodecyl-phenol, and o-, m- and p-octyl-phenol, o-, and m-tert-butyl-p-hydroxy-anisole, p-n-decyloxy-phenol, p-n-decyloxy-cresol, nonyl-n-decyloxy-cresol, eugenol, isoeugenol, glyceryl monosalicylate, methyl-p-hydroxy-cinnamate, 4-benzyloxy-phenol, p-acetylaminophenol, p-stearyl-aminophenol, methyl-p-hydroxybenzoate, p-di-

- 10 chlorobenzoyl-aminophenol, p-hydroxysalicyl anilide, stearyl-(3,5-di-methyl-4-hydroxy-benzyl) thioglycolate, stearyl-β-(4-hydroxy-3,5-di-t-butylphenyl) propionate, distearyl-3,5-di-t-butyl-4-hydroxybenzylphosphonate, and distearyl (4-hydroxy-3-methyl-5-t-butyl) benzylmalonate.
- Exemplary polyhydric phenols are orcinol, propyl gallate, catechol, resorcinol, 4-octyl-resorcinol, 4-dodecyl-resorcinol, 4-octadecyl-catechol, 4-isooctyl-phloroglucinol, pyrogallol, hexahydroxybenzene, 4-isohexylcatechol, 2,6-ditertiary-butyl-resorcinol, 2,6-di-isopropyl-phloroglucinol.
- Exemplary polyhydric polycyclic phenols are methylene bis-(2,6-di-tertiary-butyl-phenol), 2,2-bis-(4-hydroxy phenyl)-propane, methylene-bis-(p-cresol), 4,4'-benzylidene bis (2-tertiary-butyl-5-methyl-phenol), 4,4'-cyclo-hexylidene

bis-(2-tertiary-butylphenol), 2,2'-methylene-bis-(4-methyl-6-(1'-methyl-cyclohexyl)-phenol), 2,6-bis-(2'-hydroxy-3'-tertiary-butyl-5'-methylbenzyl)-4-methylphenol, 4,4'-bis-(2-tertiary-butyl-5-methyl-phenol), 2,2'-bis-(4-hydroxy-phenyl) butane, ethylene bis-(p-cresol), 4,4'-oxobis-phenol, 4,4'-oxobis-

(3-methyl-5-isopropyl-phenol), 4,4'-oxobis-(3-methyl-phenol), 2,2'-oxobis-(4-methyl-5-isopropyl-phenol), 2,2'-oxobis-(4-methyl-5-tertiary-butyl-phenol), 4,4'-thio-bis-phenol; 4,4'-thio-bis-(3-methyl-6-tertiary-butyl-phenol), 2,2'-thio-bis-(4-methyl-6-tertiary-butyl-phenol), 2,2'-thio-bis-(4-methyl-6-tertiary-butyl-phenol)

- 10 tertiary-butyl-phenol), 4,4'-n-butylidene-(2-t-butyl-5-methyl-phenol), 2,2'-methylene-bis-(4-methyl-6-(1'-methyl-cyclohexyl)-phenol), 4,4'-cyclohexylene bis-(2-tertiary-butyl-phenol), 2,6-bis-(2'-hydroxy-3'-t-butyl-5'-methyl-benzyl)-4-methyl-phenol, 4,4'-oxobis (naphthalene-1,5-diol), 1,3'-bis-(naphthalene-2,5-
- 15 diol) propane, and 2, 2'-butylene bis-(naphthalene-2, 7-diol),
  (3-methyl-5-tert-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl)-4'-hydroxy-phenyl)
  propane, 2, 2'-methylene-bis-(4-methyl-5-isopropylphenol),
  2, 2'-methylene-bis-(4-methyl-5-isopropylphenol), 2, 2'methylene-bis-(5-tert-butyl-4-chlorophenol), (3, 5-di-tert-butyl-
- 20 4-hydroxyphenyl)-(4'-hydroxyphenyl) ethane, (2-hydroxy-phenyl)-(3',5'-di-tert-butyl-4',4-hydroxyphenyl) ethane, 2,2'-methylene-bis-(4-octylphenol), 4,4'-propylene-bis-(2-tert-butyl-phenol),

- 2,2'-isobutylene-bis-(4-nonylphenol), 2,4-bis-(4-hydroxy-3-t-butyl-phenoxy)-6-(n-octylihio)-1,3,5-triazine, 2,4,6-tris-(4-hydroxy-3-t-butyl-phenoxy)-1,3,5-triazine, 2,2'-bis-(3-t-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl) thiazolo-(5,4-d) thiazole, 2,2'-bis-
- 5 (3-methyl-5-t-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl) thiazolo-(5, 4-d)-thiazole, 4, 4'-bis-(4-hydroxyphenyl) pentanoic acid octadecyl ester, cyclopentylene-4, 4'-bis-phenol, 2-ethylbutylene-4, 4'-bisphenol, 4, 4'-cyclooctylene-bis-(2-cyclohexylphenol), β,β-thiodiethanolbis-(3-tert-butyl-4-hydroxyphenoxy acetate), 1,4-butanedio-
- 10 bis-(3-tert-butyl-4-hydroxyphenoxy acetate), pentaerythritol tetra-(4-hydroxyphenol propionate), 2,4,4'-tri-hydroxy benzophenone, bis-(2-tert-butyl-3-hydroxy-5-methylphenyl) sulfide, bis-(2-tert-butyl-4-hydroxy-5-methylphenyl) sulfide, bis-(2-tert-butyl-4-hydroxy-5-methylphenyl) sulfoxide,
- bis-(3-ethyl-5-tert-butyl-4-hydroxybenzyl) sulfide, bis-(2-hydroxy-4-methyl-6-tert-butyl-phenyl) sulfide, 4,4'-bis-(4-hydroxyphenol) pentanoic acid octadecyl thiopropionate ester, 1,1,3-tris-(2'-methyl-4-hydroxy-5'-tert-butylphenyl) butane, 1,1,3-tris-(1-methyl-3-hydroxy-4-tert-butylphenyl) butane,
- 20 1,8-bis-(2-hydroxy-5-methylbenzoyl-n-octane, 2,2'-ethylene-bis-[4'-(3-tert-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl)-thiazole], 1-methyl-3-(3-methyl-5-tert-butyl-4-hydroxybenzyl)-naphthalene, 2,2'-(2-butene)-bis-(4-methoxy-6-tert-butylphenol)-bis-[3,3-bis-

(4-hydroxy-3-t-butylphenyl) butyric acid] glycol ester, 4,4'-butylidene-bis-(6-t-butyl-m-cresol), 1,1,3-tris-(2-methyl-4-hydroxy-5-t-butylphenyl) butane, 1,3,5-tris-(3,5-di-t-butyl-4-hydroxybenzyl)-2,4,6-trimethylbenzene, tetrakis [methylene-3 (3,5-di-t-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl)propionate] methane, 1,3,5-tris-(3,5-di-t-butyl-4-hydroxybenzyl) isocyanurate, 1,3,5-tris-(3,5-di-t-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl) propionyl-oxyethyl isocyanurate, 2-octylthio-4,6-di-(4-hydroxy-3,5-di-t-butyl) phenoxy-1,3,5-triazine, 4,4'-thiobis-(6-t-butyl-m-cresol) and penta-10 erythritol hydroxyphenyl propionate.

A particularly desirable class of polyhydric polycyclic phenols are the dicyclopentadiene polyphenols, which are of the type:

$$\begin{array}{c|c} OH & OH \\ \hline \\ 15 & R_1 \\ \hline \\ R_2 & R_2 \\ \end{array}$$

in which

 $R_1$  and  $R_2$  are lower alkyl, and can be the same or different, and

20 n is the number of the groups enclosed by the brackets, and is usually from 1 to about 5. These are described in U.S. patent No. 3,567,683, dated March 2, 1971 to Spacht. A com-

mercially available member of this class is Wingstay L, exemplified by dicyclopentadiene tri-(2-tert-butyl-4-methyl-phenol) of the formula:

$$C_4H_9$$
  $C_4H_9$   $C_4H_9$   $C_4H_9$   $C_4H_9$   $C_4H_9$ 

The polyhydric polycyclic phenols used in the invention can also be condensation products of phenols or alkylphenols with hydrocarbons having a bicyclic ring structure and a double bond or two or more double bonds, such as  $\alpha$ -pinene,  $\beta$ -pinene, dipentene, limonene, vinylcyclohexene, dicyclopentadiene, allo-ocimene, isoprene and butadiene. These condensation products are usually obtained under acidic conditions in the form of more or less complex mixtures of monomeric and polymeric 15 compounds. However, it is usually not necessary to isolate the individual constituents. The entire reaction product, merely freed from the acidic condensation catalyst and unchanged starting material, can be used with excellent results. While the exact structure of these phenolic condensation 20 products is uncertain, the Y groups linking the phenolic nuclei all fall into the preferred subgenus 1. For method of preparation, see e.g., U.S. patent No. 3, 124, 555, U.S. patent No. 3,242,135, and British patent No. 961,504.

When the stabilizer composition is used in conjunction with a polyvalent metal salt of an organic acid, the organic acid will ordinarily have from about six to about twenty-four carbon atoms. The polyvalent metal can be any metal of Group II of the Periodic Table, such as zinc, calcium, cadmium, barium, magnesium and strontium. The alkali metal salts and heavy metal salts such as lead salts are unsatisfactory. The acid can be any organic non-nitrogenous monocarboxylic acid having from six to twenty-four carbon atoms. The aliphatic, 10 aromatic, alicyclic and oxygen-containing heterocyclic organic acids are operable as a class. By the term "aliphatic acid" is meant any open chain carboxylic acid, substituted, if desired, with nonreactive groups, such as halogen, sulfur and hydroxyl. By the term "alicyclic" it will be understood that there is 15 intended any cyclic acid in which the ring is nonaromatic and composed solely of carbon atoms, and such acids may if desired have inert, nonreactive substituents such as halogen, hydroxyl, alkyl radicals, alkenyl radicals and other carbocyclic ring structures condensed therewith. The oxygen-containing heterocyclic compounds can be aromatic or nonaromatic and can include oxygen and carbon in the ring structure, such as alkylsubstituted furoic acid. The aromatic acids likewise can have nonreactive ring substituents such as halogen, alkyl and alkenyl groups, and other saturated or aromatic rings condensed therewith.

As exemplary of the acids which can be used in the form of their metal salts there can be mentioned the following: hexoic acid, 2-ethylhexoic acid, n-octoic acid, isooctoic acid, leavic acid, undecylic acid, lauric acid, myristic acid, palmitic acid, margaric acid, stearic acid, oleic acid, ricinoleic acid, behenic acid, chlorocaproic acid, hydroxy capric acid, benzoic acid, phenylacetic acid, butyl benzoic acid, ethyl benzoic acid, propyl benzoic acid, hexyl benzoic acid, salicylic acid, naphthoic acid, 1-naphthalene acetic acid, orthobenzoyl benzoic acid, naphthenic acids derived from petroleum, abietic acid, dihydroabietic acid, hexahydrobenzoic acid, and methyl furoic acid.

The water-insoluble salts are preferred, because they
are not leached out when the plastic is in contact with water.
Where these salts are not known, they are made by the usual types of reactions, such as by mixing the acid, or anhydride with the corresponding oxide or hydroxide of the metal in a

liquid solvent, and heating, if necessary, until salt formation 15 is complete.

A variety of organic triphosphites and acid phosphites can be employed, of which the following are exemplary.

The organic triphosphite can be any organic phosphite having three or more organic radicals attached to phosphorus through oxygen. The acid phosphite can be any organic phosphite having one or two organic radicals attached to phosphorus through oxygen. These radicals can be monovalent radicals, in the case of the triphosphites, diphosphites and monophisphites.

The organic triphosphites in which the radicals are monovalent radicals can be defined by the formula:

R<sub>1</sub>-O-P-O-R<sub>3</sub>

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in which

 $R_1$ ,  $R_2$  and  $R_3$  are selected from the group consisting of alkyl, alkenyl, aryl, alkaryl, aralkyl, and cycloalkyl groups 20 having from one to about thirty carbon atoms.

The acid phosphites are defined by the same formula, but one or two of  $R_1$ ,  $R_2$  and  $R_3$  is hydrogen or a cation of a metal or ammonium.

Also included are the organic triphosphites having a bivalent organic radical forming a heterocyclic ring with the phosphorus of the type:

in which

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 $R_4$  is a bivalent organic radical selected from the group consisting of alkylene, arylene, aralkylene, alkarylene 10 and cycloalkylene radicals having from two to about thirty carbon atoms, and  $R_5$  is a monovalent organic radical as defined above in the case of  $R_1$ ,  $R_2$  and  $R_3$ ;

 $R_{\mbox{\scriptsize 5}}$  is hydrogen or a cation, in the case of the acid phosphites.

Also useful organic triphosphites are mixed heterocyclic-open chain phosphites of the type:

More complex triphosphites are formed from trivalent 20 organic radicals, of the type:

in which

 $\rm R_6$  is a trivalent organic radical of any of the types of  $\rm R_1$  to  $\rm R_5$  , inclusive, as defined above.

A particularly useful class of complex triphosphites are the tetraoxadiphosphaspiro undecanes of the formula:

where

 $R_1$  and  $R_2$  are selected from the group consisting of aryl, alkyl, aryloxyethyl, alkyloxyethyl, aryloxyethyl, alkyloxyethoxyethyl and alkyloxypolyethoxyethyl having from about 1 to about 30 carbon atoms.

In the case of the acid phosphites, one or both of  $R_1$  and  $R_2$  is also hydrogen or a cation.

An especially preferred class of organic triphosphites and acid phosphites have a bicyclic aromatic group attached to phosphorus through oxygen, with no or one or more phenolic hydroxyl groups on either or both of the aromatic rings. These phosphites are characterized by the formula:

or

in which

Ar is a mono or bicyclic aromatic nucleus and m is an integer of from 0 to about 5.  $\overline{Z}$  is one or a plurality of organic radicals as defined above for  $R_1$  to  $R_6$ , taken singly or together in sufficient number to satisfy the valences of the two phosphite oxygen atoms.

One or both \_radicals is also hydrogen, in the case of the acid phosphites, and can include additional bicyclic aromatic groups of the type (HO)<sub>m</sub>-Ar.

- The cation in the case of acid phosphites can be a metal, such as an alkali metal, for instance, sodium, potassium or lithium; an alkaline earth metal, for instance, barium, calcium, or a nontoxic polyvalent metal, such as magnesium, tin and zinc.
- Usually, the triphosphites and acid phosphites will not have more than about sixty carbon atoms.

Exemplary triphosphites are monophenyl di-2-ethylhexyl phosphite, di-isooctyl phosphite, diphenyl mono-2-ethylhexyl phosphite, di-isooctyl monotolyl phosphite, tri-2-ethylhexyl phosphite, phenyl dicyclo-20 hexyl phosphite, phenyl diethyl phosphite, triphenyl phosphite, tricresyl phosphite, tri(dimethylphenyl) phosphite, trioctadecyl phosphite, triisooctyl phosphite, tridodecyl phosphite, isooctyl diphenyl phosphite, diisooctyl phenyl phosphite, tri(t-octylphenyl)

phosphite, tri-(t-nonylphenyl) phosphite, benzyl methyl isopropyl phosphite, butyl dicresyl phosphite, isooctyl di(octylphenyl) phosphite, di(2-ethylhexyl) (isooctylphenyl) phosphite, tri (2-cyclohexylphenyl) phosphite), tri-α-naphthyl phosphite, tri (phenylphenyl) phosphite, tri(2-phenylethyl) phosphite, ethylene phenyl phosphite, ethylene t-butyl phosphite, ethylene isohexyl phosphite, ethylene isooctyl phosphite, ethylene cyclohexyl phosphite, 2-phenoxy-1,3,2-dioxaphosphorinane, 2-butoxy-1,3,2-dioxyphosphorinane, 2-octoxy-5,5-dimethyl-dioxaphosphorinane, and 2-cyclohexyloxy-5,5-diethyl dioxaphosphorinane.

Exemplary pentaerythritol triphosphites are 3,9-diphosphaspiro-(5,5)-undecane diphenoxy-2,4,8,10-tetraoxa-3,9-diphosphaspiro-(5,5)-undecane (diphenyl-pentaerythritol diphosphite), 3,9-di(decyloxy)-2,4,8,10-tetraoxa-3,9-diphosphaspiro (5,5)-undecane, 3,9-di

- 15 (isodecyloxy)-2,4,8,10-tetraoxa-3,9-diphosphaspiro-(5,5)undecane, 3,9-di(octadecyloxy)-2,4,8,10-tetraoxa-3,9diphosphaspiro-(5,5)-undecane, 3-phenoxy-9-isodecyloxy2,4,8,10-tetraoxa-3,9-diphosphaspiro-(5,5)-undecane, 3,9-di
  (methoxy)-2,4,8,10-tetraoxa-3,9-diphosphaspiro-(5,5)-undecane,
- 20 3, 9-di(lauryloxy)-2, 4, 8, 10-tetraoxa-3, 9-diphosphaspiro-(5, 5)-undecane, 3, 9-di-p-tolyloxy-2, 4, 8, 10-tetraoxa-3, 9-diphosphaspiro-(5, 5)-undecane, 3, 9-di(methoxyethyloxy)-2, 4, 8, 10-tetraoxa-3, 9-diphosphaspiro-(5, 5)-undecane, 3-methoxyethyloxy-

9-isodecyloxy-2,4,8,10-tetraoxa-3,9-diphosphaspiro-(5,5)undecane, 3,9-di(ethoxyethyloxy)-2,4,8,10-tetraoxa-3,9diphosphaspiro-(5,5)-undecane, 3,9-di(butoxyethyloxy)-2, 4, 8, 10-tetraoxa-3, 9-diphosphaspiro-(5, 5)-undecane, 3-methoxyethyloxy-9-butoxy-ethyloxy-2, 4, 8, 10-tetraoxa-3, 9diphosphaspiro-(5,5)-undecane, 3,9-di(methoxyethoxyethyloxy)-2,4,8,10-tetraoxa-3,9-diphosphaspiro-(5,5)-undecane, 3,9-di-(butoxyethoxyethyloxy)-2,4,8,10-tetraoxa-3,9-diphosphaspiro-(5, 5)-undecane, 3, 9-di (methoxyethoxyethoxyethyloxy)-2, 4, 8, 10-10 tetraoxa-3, 9-diphosphaspiro-(5, 5)-undecane, 3, 9-di (methoxy (polyethoxy)ethyloxy)-2, 4, 8, 10-tetraoxa-3, 9-diphosphaspiro-(5.5)-undecane where the (polyethoxy) ethyloxy group has an average molecular weight of 350), 3, 9-di(methoxy(polyethoxy) ethyloxy)-2, 4, 8, 10-tetraoxa-3, 9-diphosphaspiro-(5, 5)-undecane 15 (where the (polyethoxy) ethyloxy group has an average molecular weight of 550).

Exemplary of the bis aryl triphosphites are: bis(4,4'thio-bis(2-tertiary-butyl-5-methyl-phenol)) isooctyl phosphite,
mono(4,4'-thio-bis(2-tertiary-butyl-5-methyl-phenol)) di-phenyl
phosphite, tri-(4,4'-n-butylidene-bis(2-tertiary-butyl-5-methylphenol)) phosphite, (4,4'-benzylidene-bis(2-tertiary-butyl-5methyl-phenol)) diphenyl phosphite, isooctyl 2,2'-bis(-parahydroxyphenyl) propane phosphite, decyl 4,4'-n-butylidene-bis

(2-tertiary-butyl-5-methylphenol) phosphite, tri-4,4'-thio-bis (2-tertiary-butyl-5-methylphenol) phosphite, 2-ethylhexyl-2,2'-methylene-bis(4-methyl-6,1'-methylcyclohexyl) phenol phosphite, tri(2,2'-bis-(para-hydroxyphenyl) propane) phosphite, tri(4,4'-

- thio-bis(2-tertiary-butyl-5-methyl-phenol) phosphite, isooctyl(2,6-bis(2'-hydroxy-3,5-dinonylbenzyl)-4-nonyl phenyl))

  phosphite, tetra-tridecyl-4,4'-n-butylidene-bis(2-tertiary-butyl-5-methylphenyl) diphosphite, tetra-isooctyl-4,4'-thio-bis
  (2-tertiary-butyl-5-methylphenyl) diphosphite, 2,2'-methylene-
- 10 bis (4-methyl-6, 1'-methyl cyclohexyl phenyl) polyphosphite,
  isooctyl-4, 4'-isopropylidene-bis-phenyl polyphosphite,
  2-ethylhexyl-2, 2'-methylene-bis (4-methyl-6, 1'-methyl-cyclohexyl) phenyl triphosphite, tetra-tridecyl-4, 4'-oxydiphenyl
  diphosphite, tetra-n-dodecyl-4, 4'-n-butylidene bis (2-tertiary-
- butyl-5-methylphenyl) diphosphite, tetra-tridecyl-4,4'-isopropylidene bisphenyl diphosphite, hexa-tridecyl butane-1,1,3tris(2'-methyl-5'-tertiary-butylphenyl-4') triphosphite.

Exemplary acid phosphites are di(phenyl) phosphite,
monophenyl phosphite, mono(diphenyl) phosphite, dicresyl

20 phosphite, di-(o-isooctylphenyl) phosphite, di(p-ethylhexylphenyl)
phosphite, di(p-t-octylphenyl) phosphite, di(dimethylphenyl)
phosphite, di-n-butyl phosphite, di-2-ethylhexyl phosphite,
mono-2-ethylhexylphosphite, diisooctyl phosphite, monoisooctyl

phosphite, monododecyl phosphite, 2-ethylhexyl phenyl phosphite, 2-ethylhexyl-(n-octylphenyl) phosphite, monocyclohexyl phosphite, phite, dicyclohexyl phosphite, di(2-cyclohexyl phenyl) phosphite, di-α-naphthyl phosphite, diphenyl phosphite, di(diphenyl) phosphite, di-(2-phenyl ethyl) phosphite, dibenzyl phosphite, monobenzyl phosphite, n-butyl cresyl phosphite and didodecyl phosphite, cresyl phosphite, t-octylphenyl phosphite, ethylene phosphite, butyl cresyl phosphite, isooctyl monotolyl phosphite and phenyl cyclohexyl phosphite.

bis(4,4'-thio-bis(2-tertiary-butyl-5-methylphenol)) phosphite,

(4,4'-thio-bis(2-tertiary-butyl-5-methylphenol)) phenyl phosphite,

(4,4'-thio-bis(2-tertiary-butyl-5-methylphenol)) phenyl phosphite, bis(4,4'-n-butylidene-bis(2-tertiary-butyl-5-methyl-phenol)) phosphite, mono(4,4'-benzylidene-bis(2-tertiary-butyl-15-methylphenol)) phosphite, mono(2,2'-bis-(parahydroxyphenyl) propane) phosphite, mono(4,4'-butylidene-bis(2-tertiary-butyl-5-methylphenol)) phosphite, bis(4,4'-thio-bis(2-tertiary-butyl-5-methylphenol)) phosphite, mono-2-ethylhexyl-mono-2,2'-methyl-ene-bis(4-methyl-6,1'-methylcyclohexyl) phenol phosphite, bis

20(2,2'-bis(para-hydroxyphenyl)propane) phosphite, monoisooctyl-mono(4,4'-thio-bis(2-tertiary-butyl-5-methylphenol)) phosphite, isooctyl-(2,6-bis(2'-hydroxy-3,5-dinonylbenzyl)-4-nonylphenyl))

phosphite, tri-tridecyl-4,4'-n-butylidene-bis(2-tertiary-butyl-

5-methylphenyl) diphosphite, triisooctyl-4,4'-thio-bis(2tertiary-butyl-5-methylphenyl) diphosphite, bis(2,2'-methylenebis(4-methyl-6,1'-methyl cyclohexyl phenyl)) phosphite,
isooctyl-4,4'-isopropylidene-bis-phenyl phosphite, monophenyl
mono(2,2'-methylene-bis(4-methyl-6,1'-methyl-cyclohexyl))
triphosphite, di-tridecyl-4,4'-oxydiphenyl diphosphite, di-ndodecyl-4,4'-n-butylidene-bis(2-tertiary-butyl-5-methylphenyl)
diphosphite, di-tridecyl-4,4'-isopropylidene bisphenyl
diphosphite, tetra-tridecyl butane-1,1,3-tris(2'-methyl-510 tertiary-butylphenyl-4)-triphosphite.

The thiodipropionic acid ester has the following formula:

## R<sub>1</sub>OOCCH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>-S-CH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>COOY

in which R<sub>1</sub> is an organic radical selected from the group consisting of hydrocarbon radicals such as alkyl, alkenyl, aryl, cycloalkyl and mixed alkyl aryl and mixed alkyl cycloalkyl radicals; hydroxyalkyl and hydroxyalkyloxyalkylene radicals; and esters thereof with aliphatic carboxylic acids; and Y is selected from the group consisting of (a) hydrogen, (b) a second R 20 radical R<sub>2</sub>, which can be the same as or different from the R<sub>1</sub> radical, (c) a polymeric chain of n thiodipropionic acid ester units:

 $-\texttt{XO}[\texttt{OCCH}_2\texttt{CH}_2\texttt{SCH}_2\texttt{CH}_2\texttt{COOXO}]_n \texttt{OCCH}_2\texttt{CH}_2\textbf{-S} - \texttt{CH}_2\texttt{CH}_2\texttt{COOZ}$ 

where Z is hydrogen,  $R_2$  or M, n is the number of thiodipropionic acid ester units in the chain, and X is a bivalent hydrocarbon group of the type of  $R_1$ , that is, alkylene, alkenylene, cycloalkylene, mixed alkylene-arylene and mixed alkylene-

- 5 cycloalkylene radicals; hydroxyalkylene and hydroxyalkyloxyalkylene radicals; and esters thereof with aliphatic carboxylic
  acids; the value of n can range upwards from 0, but there is no
  upper limit on n except as is governed by the ratio of carbon
  atoms to sulfur atoms as stated below; and (d) a polyvalent
- 10 metal M of Group II of the periodic table such as zinc, calcium, cadmium, barium, magnesium and strontium.
- The molecular weights of the R and Y radicals are taken such that with the remainder of the molecule the thiodipropionic ester has a total of from about ten to about sixty 15 carbon atoms per sulfur atom.

Accordingly, the various thiodipropionic acid ester species coming within the above-designated categories within the general formula can be defined as follows:

- (a)  $R_1OOCCH_2CH_2SCH_2CH_2COOH$
- $^{20}$  (b)  $R_1$  OOCCH $_2$ CH $_2$ SCH $_2$ CH $_2$ COOR $_2$ 
  - (c)  $R_1O[OCCH_2CH_2SCH_2CH_2COOX-O]_nOCCH_2CH_2SCH_2CH_2COOZ$
  - (d) R<sub>1</sub>OOCCH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>SCH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>COOM

In the above formulae  $R_1$  and  $R_2$ , M, X and Z are the same as before and the value of  $n_1$  can range upwards from 1, but there is no upper limit on  $n_1$  except as is imposed by the ratio of carbon atoms, as stated below. In the polymer (c), as in the other forms of thiodipropionic acid esters, the total number of carbon atoms per sulfur atom is within the range from about ten to about sixty.

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The R radical of these esters is important in furnishing compatibility with the polymer. The Y radical is desirably a different radical, R<sub>2</sub> or M or a polymer, where R is rather low in molecular weight, so as to compensate for this in obtaining the optimum compatibility and nonvolatility. Where Y is a metal, the thiodipropionic acid ester furnishes the beneficial properties of the polyvalent metal salt which is described above.

The aryl, alkyl, alkenyl, and cycloalkyl groups may, if desired, contain inert, nonreactive substituents such as halogen and other carbocyclic and heterocyclic ring structures condensed therewith.

Typical R radicals are, for example, methyl, ethyl, propyl, isopropyl, butyl, isobutyl, t-butyl, amyl, isoamyl, n-octyl, isooctyl, 2-ethyl hexyl, t-octyl, decyl, dodecyl, octadecyl, allyl, hexenyl, linoleyl, ricinoleyl, oleyl, phenyl,

xylyl, tolyl, ethylphenyl, naphthyl, cyclohexyl, benzyl,
cyclopentyl, methylcyclohexyl, ethylcyclohexyl, and naphthenyl,
hydroxyethyl, hydroxypropyl, glyceryl, sorbityl, pentaerythrityl,
and polyoxyalkylene radicals such as those derived from
diethylene glycol, triethylene glycol, polyoxypropylene glycol,
polyoxyethylene glycol, and polyoxypropyleneoxyethylene glycol,
and esters thereof with any of the organic acids named below
in the discussion of the polyvalent metal salts, including in
addition those organic acids having from two to five carbon
atoms, such as acetic, propionic, butyric and valeric acids.

Typical X radicals are alkylene radicals such as ethylene, tetramethylene, hexamethylene, decamethylene, alkyl-substituted alkylene radicals such as 1,2-propylene,

As exemplary of the thiodipropionic acid esters which can be used, there can be mentioned the following: monolauryl thiodipropionic acid, dilauryl thiodipropionate, butyl stearyl thiodipropionate, 2-ethylhexyl lauryl thiodipropionate, di-2ethylhexyl-thiodipropionate, diisodecyl thiodipropionate, 5 isodecyl phenyl thiodipropionate, benzyl lauryl thiodipropionate benzyl phenyl thiodipropionate, the diester of mixed cocomit fatty alcohols and thiodipropionic acid, the diester of mixed tallow fatty alcohols and thiodipropionic acid, the acid ester 10 of mixed cottonseed oil fatty alcohols and thiodipropionic acid, the acid ester of mixed soyabean oil fatty alcohols and thiodipropionic acid, cyclohexyl nonyl thiodipropionate, monooleyl thiodipropionic acid, hydroxyethyl lauryl thiodipropionate, monoglyceryl thiodipropionic acid, glyceryl monostearate monothiodipropionate, sorbityl isodecyl thiodipropionate, the 15 polyester of diethylene glycol and thiodipropionic acid, the polyester of triethylene glycol and thiodipropionic acid, the polyester of hexamethylene glycol and thiodipropionic acid, the polyester of pentaerythritol and thiodipropionic acid, the 20 polyester of octamethylene glycol and thiodipropionic acid, the polyester of p-dibenzyl alcohol and thiodipropionic acid, ethylbenzyl lauryl thiodipropionate, strontium stearyl thiodipropionate, magnesium oleyl thiodipropionate, calcium dodecylbenzyl thiodipropionate, and mono(dodecylbenzyl) thiodipropionic acid.

These esters are for the most part known compounds, but where they are not available, they are readily prepared by esterification of thiodipropionic acid and the corresponding alcohol.

#### Also useful are:

(1) Thioalkanoic acid amides of Tokuno et al Japanese patent No. 16,286/68 having the formula:

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$$R_1$$
-S- $R_2$ -CONH- $\bigcirc$ -OH

R is alkyl of one to eight carbon atoms,  $R_1$  is alkyl of six to twenty-four carbon atoms, and  $R_2$  is alkylene of one to six carbon atoms.

(2) Thioalkanoic acid amides of 1,3,5-triazines of Ozeki et al Japanese patent No. 20,366/68 having the formula:

$$\begin{array}{c} & & & & & \\ R-S-C_2H_4-C-N & & & & \\ & & & & & \\ N-C-C_2H_4-S-R & & & \\ & & & & \\ O & & & & \\ \end{array}$$

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R is alkyl of eight to eighteen carbon atoms.

(3) Bis-thioalkanoic acid amides of Yamamoto et al Japanese patent No. 23,765/68 having the formula:

$$R-S-C_2H_4-C-NH-NH-C-C_2H_4-S-R$$

R is alkyl of more than six carbon atoms, aryl or aralkyl.

(4) Bis-thioalkylanoic acid amides of Ozeki et al

5 Japanese patent No. 26, 184/69 having the formula:

$$R-S-C_2H_4-C-NH-NH-C-R_1-C-NH-NH-C-C_2H_4-S-R$$

R is alkyl of twelve to eighteen carbon atoms, and  $R_1$  is alkylene of one to ten carbon atoms, cycloalkylene, or arylene.

(5) Bis-alkylene thioalkanoic acid amides of Ozeki

10 Japanese patent No. 31,464/69 having the formula:

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R is alkyl of more than six carbon atoms, aryl, or aralkyl.

- (6) Thioalkanoic acid amide derivatives of Minagawa et al,
- published Japanese application Nol 106,484/74 having the formula:

R is hydrocarbyl of one to twenty carbon atoms.

- (7) Alkylene bis-thioalkanoic acid amides of U.S. patent
- 20 No. 4,279,805 to Ohzeki et al, patented July 21, 1981, having the general formula:

$$R_1-S-R_2-C-NH-R_3-NH-C-R_2-S-R_1$$

wherein:

 $R_1$  is alkyl having from one to about fifty carbon atoms;  $R_2$  is alkylene having from one to about three carbon

5 atoms; and

 ${\bf R_3}$  is alkylene having from about two to about twelve carbon atoms.

eta-Alkylthiopropionic acid esters having the general formula:

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wherein:

R is alkyl of four to twenty carbon atoms; n is a number from 1 to 6; and

R' is the résidue of an alcohol having from one to six 15 hydroxyl groups.

Pentaerythritol tetra dodecyl thio propionate is an example of this group.

The organotin compounds include the alkyl tin carboxylates, such as mono-, di- and tri-methyl, butyl and octyl tin octoate; laurate; myristate; palmitate; stearate; isostearate; maleate; monobutylmaleate; monobenzylmaleate; monoolylmaleate; and monostearylmaleate; the alkyl tin mercaptides such as mono, di and tri methyl, butyl and octyl tin mercaptides; the alkyl tin sulfides; such as mono, di and tri methyl, butyl and tri methyl, butyl and octyl tin sulfides; the alkyl tin mercaptide/sulfides such as mono, di and tri methyl, butyl and octyl tin mercaptide-sulfides; and the alkyl tin mercaptocarboxylates such as mono, di and tri methyl, butyl and octyl tin butyl and isooctyl thioglycolates and thiopropionates.

The preferred amount of organotin compound is within the range from about 0.2 to about 5 parts, preferably from about 0.5 to about 3 parts, by weight per 100 parts by weight of polyvinyl chloride resin.

Additional heat stabilizers which can be employed with the stabilizers of the invention include β-aminocrotonates, such as 1,4-butanediol bis(β-aminocrotonate) and thiodiglycol bis(β-aminocrotonate); ureas such as diphenylurea and diphenylthiourea; indoles such as α-phenylindole and α-(octylphenyl) indole; dihydropyridines such as 2,6-dimethyl-3,5-di(carbooctoxy)-1,4-dihydropyridine and 2,6-dimethyl-3,5-di(carbolauryloxy)-1,4-dihydropyridine; β-diketones such as dibenzoylmethane,

benzoylacetone, stearoylbenzoylmethane, caproylbenzoylmethane and dehydroaceticacid; and polyols, such as trimethylol-propane, glycerol, tris(2-hydroxyethyl)isocyanurate, pentaerythritol, dipentaerythritol, mannitol, sorbitol, pentaerythritolmonostearate, dipentaerythritoladipate and dipentaerythritolmono(pyrollidonecarboxylate).

Other conventional light stabilizers can be employed. such as hydroxybenzophenones such as 2-hydroxy-4-methoxybenzophenone, 2 hydroxy-4 n-octoxy benzophenone, 2,4 dihydroxybenzophenone, benzotriazoles, such as 2(2 hydroxye5methylphenyl) benzotriazoles, 2(2-hydroxy 3-t-butyl-5-methylphenyl)-5 chlorobenzotriazole, 2(2-hydroxy-3-5-di t-butylphenyl)-5-chlorobenzotriazole, 2(2-hydroxy-3,5-di-t-amylphenyl) benzotriazole, benzoates such as phenylsalicylate, 2,4-di-t-butylphenyl 15 -3.5-di-t-butyl-4-hydroxy phenylbenzcate, nickel compounds such as nickel 2, 2'-thiobis(4-t-octyl-phenolate), nickel-monoethyl(3,5-di-t-butyl-4-hydroxybenzyl) phosphonate, substituted acrylonitriles such as methyl- $\alpha$ -cyano- $\beta$ -methyl- $\beta$ -(p methoxy phenyl) acrylate and oxalic anilides such as N-2 ethyl phenyl-N' 2-ethoxy-5-t butyl phenyl oxalic diamide, N 2-ethyl phenyl-N'-2 ethoxy phenyl oxalic diamide.

A sufficient amount of the stabilizer combination is used to improve the resistance of the synthetic polymer to deterioration in physical properties when exposed to heat and light, including, for example, discoloration, reduction in melt viscosity and embrittlement. Very small amounts are usually adequate Amounts within the range from about 0.001 to about 10% total stabilizers including the stabilizer combinations of the invention by weight of the polymer are satisfactory. Preferably, from 0.01 to 5% is employed for optimum stabilization.

The stabilizer compositions of the invention comprise a blend of:

- (a) 2, 2, 6, 6 tetramethyl piperidyl compound in an amount of from about 10 to about 35 parts by weight;
  - (b) ammonium or metal perchlorate in an amount of from about 10 to about 35 parts by weight;

and optionally:

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- (c) a phenolic antioxidant in an amount from about 10
  15 to about 35 parts by weight; and/or
  - (d) other heat or light stabilizers in an amount of from about 10 to about 35 parts by weight

The stabilizer compositions of the invention can be employed in combination with phenolic antioxidant and/or other conventional heat and light stabilizers for the particular synthetic polymer.

Thus, for example, in the case of polyvinyl chloride resins, other polyvinyl chloride resin heat stabilizers can be included, including polyvalent metal fatty acid salts such as barium and cadmium salts of the higher fatty acids; organotin

compounds; and epoxy compounds.

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With polyolefin resins there can be employed fatty acid salts of polyvalent metals, and the higher fatty acid esters of thiodipropionic acids, such as, for example, dilauryl thiodipropionate.

With polyamide resin compositions, polyamide stabilizers such as copper salts in combination with iodides and/or other phosphorus compounds and salts of divalent manganese can be used.

With synthetic rubbers and acrylonitrile butadienestyrene terpolymers, other antioxidants and polyvalent metal salts of the higher fatty acids can be used.

In addition, other conventional additives for synthetic polymers, such as plasticizers, lubricants, emulsifiers, antistatic agents, flame-proofing agents, pigments and fillers, can be employed.

The stabilizer or combination is incorporated in the polymer in suitable mixing equipment, such as a mill or a Banbury mixer. If the polymer has a melt viscosity which is too high for the desired use, the polymer can be worked until its melt viscosity has been reduced to the desired range before addition of the stabilizer. Mixing is continued until the mixture is substantially uniform. The resulting composition is then removed from the mixing equipment and brought to the size and shape desired for marketing or use.

The stabilized polymer can be worked into the desired shape, such as by milling, calendering, extruding or injection molding or fiber-forming. In such operations, it will be found to have a considerably improved resistance to reduction in melt viscosity during the heating, as well as a better resistance to discoloration and embrittlement on ageing and heating.

These polyvinyl chloride resin compositions can be backed with polyurethane foam in any desired thickness, simply by introducing a sheet of the polyvinyl chloride resin composition (after mixing with a stabilizer and sheeting off, as described above) together with polyol and polyisocyanate in a mold. The polyvinyl chloride resin sheet backed with polyurethane foam is obtained after curing.

Polyurethane foams are well known materials, and polyvinyl chloride resin compositions backed with polyurethane foams are also well known, and are prepared by conventional procedures.

Polyurethane foams are prepared by reactions of a polyol with a polyisocyanate, usually in the presence of a foaming agent, such as water or trichloro fluoromethane.

Polyols to prepare polyurethane foam include polyether polyols and polyester polyols. Examples of polyether polyols are glycols such as poly(oxypropylene) glycol, poly(oxyethylene/oxypropylene) glycol, poly(oxyethylene) glycol and triols such as poly(oxyethylene) and/or oxypropylene) triols (examples of triols are glycerine, trimethylol propane and trimethylol ethane).

Polyester polyols are prepared by reactions of dibasic carboxylic acids (adipic acid, phthalic acid, maleic acid, etc.) with polyols (ethyleneglycol, propyleneglycol, butyleneglycol, diethyleneglycol, trimethylol propane, glycerine, hexanetriol, pentaerythritol, etc.) and have terminal hydroxyl groups.

The polyisocyanates include 2,4-tolylene diisocyanate, 4,4'-diphenylmethane diisocyanate, hexamethylene diisocyanate, xylylene diisocyanate, 1,5-naphthalene diisocyanate, isophorone diisocyanate and triphenylmethane diisocyanate.

Water is normally used as the foaming agent, and when the polyol contains a sufficient amount of water, then addition of water is not necessary.

The curing temperature is selected from a wide range usually from 20 to about 200°C, and the curing time depends on curing temperature. The higher the curing temperature, the shorter the curing time needed. From 1 to 60 minutes curing time is sufficient.

Adhesion of the polyvinyl chlorine resin sheet to polyurethane foam can be obtained without any treatment. The sheet is set at the bottom of the mold and the polyol/isocyanate is at the top of the mold. Curing then results in the polyurethane resin foambacked sheet.

The following Examples represent preferred embodiments of polyvinyl chloride resin compositions in accordance with the invention.

#### Examples 1 to 7

Ingredient	Parts by Weight
Polyvinyl chloride homopolymer (P=1000)	100
Di(C <sub>9-11</sub> H <sub>19-23)</sub> phthalate	(50)
Calcium carbonate	10
Epoxidized soybean oil	2
Ba stearate	1
Zn laurate	0.5
Stabilizer as shown in Table I	

The compositions were thoroughly blended on a two-roll mill, and then compression-molded to form sheets 1 mm thick. These sheets were placed in a metal mold, and polyol and polyisocyanate introduced to prepare a polyurethane facm layer 10 mm thick. The polyol was a mixture of 90 parts by weight of the adduct of glycerine with hexylene-oxide/propyleneoxide /poly(oxyethylene/oxypropylene)glycerine/ having a molecular weight 2000 and 10 parts by weight of tetrahydroxypropyl ethylenediamine. The isocyanate was 42 parts by weight of diphenylmethane diisocyanate. The foaming agent was 1.3 parts by weight of water, and 0.9 part by weight of triethylenediamine was used as a catalyst.

This mixture was placed  $\,$  in the mold and cured at 40-45°C for 20 minutes.

The polyvinyl chloride sheets backed with polyurethane foam were obtained after curing. Test pieces were cut off from the sheets and heated at 120°C in a Geer oven. The test pieces were exposed to ultraviolet light in a carbon arc Fade-O-Meter at 83°C. The color of the test pieces after exposure to heat and light was rated on the following scale:

Color Scale		Color
1 -		Colorless
2	-	Pale yellow tint
3		Pale yellow
4		Pale to light yellow
5	• .	Light yellow
6	•	Light to medium yellow
7	•	Medium yellow
8		Dark yellow
9		Yellow and black
10		Black

The results are shown in Table I.

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The superiority of the stabilizer combinations of the invention when compared to either perchlorate or 2, 2, 6, 6-tetramethyl piperidyl compound alone is apparent from the data.

#### Examples 8 to 14

5	Ingredient	Parts by Weight
	Polyvinyl chloride homopolymer (P= 1000)	100
	$Di(C_{q-11}H_{R-23})$ phthalate	50
٠.	Calcium carbonate	10
10	Epoxidized soybean oil	2
	Ba stearate	1
	Zn laurate	0.5
	Stabilizer as shown in Table II	

The compositions were thoroughly blended on a two-roll mill and then compression-molded to form sheets 1 mm thick. Test pieces were cut off from the sheets and heated at 120°C in a Geer oven. The test pieces were exposed to ultraviolet light in a carbon arc Fade-O-Meter at 83°C. The color of the test pieces was rated, and the results are shown in Table II.

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The superiority of the stabilizer combinations of the invention when compared to either perchlorate or 2, 2, 6, 6-tetramethyl piperidyl compound alone is apparent from the data.

#### Examples 15 t o 21

5 Polyvinyl chloride resin compositions were prepared according to the following formulation:

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	Ingredient	Parts by Weight
	Polyvinyl chloride homopolymer (paste resin: P= 1500)	100
10	$Tri(C_{r,-1}H_{15-1})$ trimellitate	60
	Calcium carbonate	15
	Epoxidized linseed oil	4
	Mg <sub>0.1</sub> Al <sub>0.3</sub> (OH) <sub>2</sub> (CO <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>0.15</sub> · 0.54 H <sub>2</sub> O (Hydrotalcite DHT 4A:Kyowa Chemical)	0.5
	Ba/Zn 2-ethyl hexcate liquid stabilizer	2
15	Blue pigment (ultramarine blue)	4
	Stabilizer as shown in Table III	·

The ingredients were thoroughly blended to prepare a paste sol. The sol was heat coated on a ferrous plate and heated at 200°C for 5 minutes to prepare sheets 1 mm thick. These sheets were placed in a metal mold and polyol and polyisocyanate introduced to prepare a polyurethane foam layer 10 mm thick. The polyvinyl chloride resin sheet backed with polyurethane foam were obtained after curing. Test pieces were cut off from the sheets and heated at 120°C in a Geer oven. The test pieces were exposed to ultraviolet light in a carbon arc Fade O-Meter at 83°C. The color of the test pieces was rated and the results are shown in Table III.

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٠.	Bis(2, 2, 6, 6-tetramethyl-4-piperidyl)di(isotri-	<u>.</u>	<b>#</b>	⋪.	4	വ		<b>H</b>	<b>.</b>	જ	4
	decyl)-1, 2, 3, 4-butane- tetracarboxylate	0.1									

The superiority of the stabilizer combinations of the invention when compared to either perchlorate or 2,2,6,6-tetramethyl piperidyl compound alone is apparent from the data.

#### Examples 22 to 26

Polyvinyl chloride resin compositions were prepared according to the following formulation:

	Ingredient	Parts by Weight
•	Polyvinyl chloride homopolymer (paste resin: P= 1500)	100
10	Trioctyltrimellitate	50
	Calcium carbonate	15
	Blue pigment	2
	Epoxidized linseed oil	4
	Hydrotalcite (DHT-4A:Kyowa Chemical)	0.5
15	Ba/Zn 2-ethylhexoate liquid stabilizer	1.5
	Tetra(tridecyl)Bisphenol-A disphosphite	0.5
	Stabilizer as shown in Table IV	

The ingredients were thoroughly blended to prepare a paste sol. The sol was hand coated on a ferrous plate, and heated at 20 200°C for 5 minutes to prepare sheets 1 mm thick. These sheets were placed in a metal mold, and polyol and polyisocyanate introduced to prepare a polyurethane foam layer 10 mm thick. The polyvinyl chloride resin sheet backed with polyurethane foam was obtained after curing. Test pieces were cut off from the sheets and 25 heated at 120°C in a Geer oven. The test pieces were exposed to ultraviolet light in a carbon arc Fade-O-Meter at 83°C. The color of the test pieces was rated as shown in Table IV.

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The superiority of the stabilizer combinations of the invention when compared to either perchlorate or 2, 2, 6, 6tetramethyl piperidyl compound alone is apparent from the data.

#### Examples 27 to 31

Polyvinyl chloride resin compositions were prepared according to the following formulation:

	Ingredient	Parts by Weight
	Polyvinyl chloride homopolymer (P= 1000)	90
10	Polyvinyl chloride homopolymer (paste resin: P= 800)	10
	$Tri(C_{q-q} H_{15-1q})$ trimellitate	60
	Zeolite 4A	3
	Titanium dioxide	5
15	Epoxidized soybean oil	5
	Zn stearate	0.5
	Tetra(tridecyl)Bisphenol-A diphosphite	0.5
	Stabilizer as shown in Table V	

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The ingredients were thoroughly blended in a Henschel mixer to prepare powder compounds. The powder compounds were spread on a ferrous plate and heated at 200°C for 5 minutes to prepare sheets 1 mm thick. The sheets were placed in a metal mold, and polyol and polyisocyanate introduced into the mold to prepare a polyurethane foam layer 10 mm thick. The polyvinyl chloride sheets backed with polyurethane foam were obtained after curing. The test pieces were cut off from the sheets and heated at 120°C in a Geer oven. The test pieces were exposed to ultraviolet light in a carbon arc Fade-O-Meter at 83°C. The color of the test pieces was rated as shown in Table V.

Table V

	Example No. Stabilizer	Control 1 None	Control 2 Ba perchlorate	Control 3 Bis(2, 2, 6, 6-tetramethyl 4-piperidyl)-di(isotridecyl)-1, 2, 3, 4-butanetetracarboxylate	Example 27 Ba perchlorate	Bls(2, 2, 6, 6-tetramethyl 4-plperidyl) sebacate	Example 28 Ba perchlorate	Tetra(2, 2, 6, 6-tetramethyl 4-piperidyl)-1, 2, 3, 4-
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The superiority of the stabilizer combinations of the invention when compared to either perchlorate or 2, 2, 6, 6-tetramethyl piperidyl compound alone is apparent from the data.

#### Examples 32 to 37.

Polyvinyl chloride resin compositions were prepared according to the following formulation:

	Ingredient	Parts by Weight
	Polyvinyl chloride homopolymer (P= 1100)	100
10	$Tri(C_{\eta-q} H_{15-1q})$ trimellitate	60
	Titanium dioxide	5
	Epoxidized soybean oil	5
	Ba/Cd laurate	2.5
15	Tetra(tridecyl)-4, 4'-butylidenebis(2-t-butyl-5-methylphenyl)diphosphite	0.5
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Stabilizer as shown in Table VI

to prepare powder compounds. The powder compounds were spread on a ferrous plate and heated at 200°C for 5 minutes to prepare

20 sheets 1 mm thick. The sheets were placed in a metal mold, and polyol and polyisocyanate introduced into the mold to prepare a polyurethane foam layer 10 mm thick. The polyvinyl chloride sheets backed with polyurethane foam were obtained after curing. The test pieces were cut off from the sheets and heated at 120°C in a Geer oven.

25 The test pieces were exposed to ultraviolet light in a carbon arc Fade-O-Meter at 83°C. The color of the test pieces was rated as shown in Table VI.

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	Stabilizer	None	Ba perchlorate	Bis(2, 2, 6, 6-tetramethyl-4-piperidyl)-di(isotri-decyl)-1, 2, 3, 4-butane-tetracarboxylate	Ba perchlorate	Bis(2, 2, 6, 6-tetramethyl-4 piperidyl) sebacate	Ba perchlorate	Tetra(2, 2, 6, 6-tetramethyl-4-piperidyl)-1, 2, 3, 4-butanetetracarboxylate	Ba perchlorate	Bis(1, 2, 2, 6, 6-pentamethyl-4-piperidyl)di(isotridecyl)-1, 2, 3, 4-butane-tetra-carboxylate
	Example No.	Control 1	Control 2	Control 3	Example 32		Example 33		Example 34	

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The superiority of the stabilizer combinations of the invention when compared to either perchlorate or 2, 2, 6, 6-tetramethyl piperidyl compound alone is apparent from the data.

#### CLAIMS:

- 1. A polyvinyl chloride resin stabilizer composition capable of improving the resistance to deterioration of polyvinyl chloride resins when exposed to light and heat, comprising a 2,2,6,6-tetramethyl piperidinyl compound and an ammonium or metal perchlorate.
- 2. A polyvinyl chloride resin stabilizer composition according to claim 1, in which the metal perchlorate is an alkaline earth metal perchlorate.
- 3. A polyvinyl chloride resin stabilizer composition according to one or both of claims 1-2, in which the 2,2,6,6-tetramethyl piperidinyl compound is bis(2,2,6,6-tetramethyl-4-piperidyl) sebacate.
- 4. A polyvinyl chloride resin stabilizer composition according to one or both of claims 1-2, in which the 2,2,6,6-tetramethyl piperidinyl compound is tetra(2,2,6,6-tetramethyl-4-piperidyl)-1,2,3,4-butanetetracarboxylate.
- 5. A polyvinyl chloride resin stabilizer composition according to one or both of claims 1-2, in which the 2,2,6,6-tetramethyl piperidinyl compound is bis(1,2,2,6,6-pentamethyl-4-piperidyl)-di-(isotridecyl)-1,2,3,4-butanetetracarboxylate.
- 6. A polyvinyl chloride resin stabilizer composition according to one or both of claims 1-2, in which the 2,2,6,6-tetramethyl piperidinyl compound is bis(2,2,6,6-tetramethyl-4-piperidyl)-di-(isotridecyl)-1,2,3,4-butanetetracarboxylate.
- 7. A polyvinyl chloride resin stabilizer composition according to one or both of claims 1-2, in which the 2,2,6,6-tetramethyl piperidinyl compound is 3,9-bis(1,1-dimethyl-2-(tris(1,2,2,6,6-pentamethyl-4-piperidyloxycarbonyl)butyl-

carbonyloxy)ethyl)2,4,8,10-tetraoxaspiro[5.5] undecane.

- 8. A polyvinyl chloride resin stabilizer composition according to one or both of claims 1-2, in which the 2,2,6,6-tetramethyl piperidinyl compound is 3,9-bis(1,1-dimethyl-2-(tris(2,2,6,6-tetramethyl-4-piperidyloxycarbonyl)butyl-carbonyloxy)ethyl)-2,4,8,10-tetraoxaspiro/5.57 undecane.
- 9. A polyvinyl chloride resin stabilizer composition according to one or more of the claims 1-8, comprising in addition a phenolic antioxidant, an organic phosphite, an organic compound, a thioether, or a polyvalent metal salt of organic acid.
- 10. A polyvinyl chloride resin composition having improved resistance to deterioration when exposed to heat and light comprising a polyvinyl chloride resin and a stabilizer composition according to one or more of the claims 1-9.
- 11. A polyvinyl chloride resin compositIon according to claim 10, backed with a polyurethane resin foam.

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